

## THREE WOMEN OF CAPITAL APPEAR IN EATON CASE

**Mrs. Bursey Springs Surprise of Mysterious "Man from Chicago" and Mrs. Bucher Closes Day's Testimony.**

**Mrs. J. L. Edwards, Also of Washington, Has Offered Unlimited Funds for Defense of Admiral's Wife.**

Plymouth, Mass., Oct. 21.—For the first time since Mrs. Jennie May Eaton was placed on trial here for the murder of her husband, Rear Admiral Joseph G. Eaton, the prosecution introduced evidence concerning the mysterious "wealthy Chicago man," who is said to be an intimate friend of Mrs. Eaton. The prosecution also introduced testimony to disprove the theory that Admiral Eaton intended to commit suicide.

The testimony concerning the Chicago man was given by Mrs. Beale Bursey, of Washington, D. C., whose appearance was a surprise to the defense. Mrs. Bursey said that in the spring of 1912 Mrs. Eaton and her daughter June had boarded with her in Washington, and that it was during this time that June's baby was born at a Washington hospital. The witness said:

**Second Capital Witness.**  
"Mrs. Eaton told me a great deal about a man in Chicago, and she was always saying what a handsome fellow he was, and how wealthy he was. She said that when the man died she would get all of his property. Mrs. Eaton also said the man owned blocks of houses and had a beautiful home. She often said she wished she could enjoy it instead of having to live 'the way she did.'"  
Mrs. Bursey, however, connected with the Board of Children's Guardians of Washington, was the last witness of the day. Mrs. Bursey testified that she summoned Mrs. Eaton's daughter, June, to her home in the spring of 1912 on the charge of neglecting her child, born in April, 1912. She said Mrs. Eaton gave her these names—Edward, Alvin, and Charles—and she believed the last to be the name of the Chicago man who, the witness said, Mrs. Eaton referred to as her "wealthy gentleman friend in Chicago."

**Funds from Washington.**  
"She told me she had a friend who was a handsome man in the world," said the witness, "and she owned blocks of houses."

It was learned today for the first time from the testimony of Mrs. Bursey that Mrs. Eaton's defense fund is being supplied by a wealthy man, Mrs. John Lewis Edwards, of Washington. Mrs. Edwards said to be a sister of Mrs. Virginia Harrison, Mrs. Eaton's mother, who testified at the opening of the murder trial.

The witnesses who testified at the morning session today were Mrs. Charles M. Hill and Mrs. Katherine Mason, neighbors of the Eatons; Charles E. Rice, a Rockland undertaker; Samuel W. Baker, a Rockland optician, and Mrs. Abbie C. Ottwell, former housekeeper of the Eatons.

Mrs. Mason testified that during a conversation with the defendant, Mrs. Eaton had told her the admiral "had approved himself as a very good man."

Frank L. Booth, of Rockland, testified that Mrs. Eaton had told him she believed the admiral had poison hidden in the attic of their home, and said she had sprinkled talcum powder on the stairs so she could track him and find the poison.

**Funds in Place.**  
An unlimited defense fund has been pledged to Mrs. Eaton by Mrs. Edwards. Mrs. Edwards, becoming convinced of the innocence of her relative, communicated with lawyers representing Mrs. Eaton and instructed them to use any amount of money necessary to produce all the evidence possible in behalf of the accused woman.

**Eaton Trial Interests Washingtonians Because Of Three Capital Women**  
Three Washington women, when a verdict in the Eaton murder case is rendered, will have figured in the trial, two for the prosecution and one for the defense. For this reason Washingtonians are taking unusual interest in the trial. Should Mrs. Eaton be acquitted she in a measure must thank Mrs. John Lewis Edwards, of 190 F Street Northwest, said to be her sister, and not an aunt, who, press dispatches say, is putting up an unlimited amount of money for her defense. At the Edwards home last night the better said that Mr. and Mrs. Edwards are "out of the city." It was later learned that they are in Plymouth, where Mrs. Eaton is being tried. Today they are expected to return to the city after completing arrangements for the funeral and of the trial.

Mrs. Edwards is the wife of John I. Edwards, a prominent real estate and insurance operator of this city, with offices in the Commercial National Bank Building.

## MRS. PANKHURST HAS ONLY GOOD WORDS FOR U. S.

**Praises Ellis Island Officials and Everything Else American.**

**AUDITORIUM NOT FULL**

**Good Crowd Attends that Netted English Militant \$1,500 for Night's Work.**

New York, Oct. 21.—"The world has learned that it may imprison women, but not the truth."  
With this axiom Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the mentor and inspiration of the militant suffragist rebellion in England, was introduced to a wildly enthusiastic throng in Madison Square Garden tonight.

Charles Edward Russell presided. The auditorium was not filled when the slender figure of the leader of the fight of England's women for emancipation took the stand, but there was no other hall in New York that could have held the crowd without congestion. Mr. Russell in his introduction scored Premier Asquith and Home Secretary McKenna and held up the work of Mrs. Pankhurst and her associates. As roundly as were Mr. Asquith and Mr. McKenna himself were his words of praise for Mrs. Pankhurst cheered.

Mrs. Pankhurst began with words of praise for the officials of Ellis Island, and for the institution itself. She withheld thanks to President Wilson, saying that he would not want to be thanked inasmuch as he did his duty.

**Praises Ellis Island.**  
"But Ellis Island has shown me the poor who come to America are infinitely better fed than are the poor who live in Great Britain," said Mrs. Pankhurst. "When I came first to America four years ago, the progress of the suffrage movement was virtually at a standstill, but before many years the women of this country will be admitted within the circle of the Constitution. The anti's admit it. They are concerned in arresting progress merely. Not one of them hope seriously to stop the wave."

Speeches of the militant movement, Mrs. Pankhurst said, are not of Parliament without force. It calls for something dynamic to get anything through that great body of legislators and the whole British government is an elaborate arrangement of how not to do anything.

**Some Militant Maxims.**  
"The insurance act was passed merely because the advocates there are members of Parliament and threatened them with failure of election. The old act was passed merely to save Winston Churchill from defeat, when he went for approval after promotion to the Cabinet."

"People who are patient where government is concerned may go on being patient in so far as the government care. Are we to become so accustomed to two standards of morals in society that we must submit to a double standard in government? One cannot make omelets without breaking eggs; you cannot make a revolution with a preserver. I hold human life sacred. I have never advocated murder. The only justification for damage to property lies in the fact that you have tried all other means of attaining your ends."

## HURRY UP! EVERYBODY AT HOME IS WAITING FOR IT.



## AUTOISTS CAUGHT IN "SPEED TRAP"

**Maryland Authorities Are Determined to Stop Fast Driving.**

**STATE OFFICIALS ASSIST**

**Ten Victims, Mostly Washingtonians on Way to Laurel Track, Forced to Put Up \$10 Collateral.**

Ten automobilists, mostly from Washington, fell into a "speed trap" near Berwyn yesterday. According to the authorities of the Maryland town, none of them was going less than twenty-five miles an hour. Most of the autoists arrested were on their way to the Laurel race track.

**"Speed Trap" Laid.**  
Yesterday morning a "speed trap" of a quarter of a mile was laid near the old Antelope Race Course, just above Berwyn. Men were stationed at each end and signaled to the others as the machines entered. Thirty-six seconds or more was the time allowed for the motorists to pass through the danger zone, and those who exceeded this limit were flagged.

All those stopped were required to furnish bail for their appearance in the justice court at Berwyn this morning. Those who were caught appeared to take it good-naturedly, with one exception, and he characterized the affair as a "hold-up game."

Those who are required to appear before Justice Shipley tomorrow are T. W. Smith, license No. 846; P. M. Walter, 742; H. R. Meyers, 725; D. R. Cowie, Company, 370; Harry Wingston, Jacksonville, Fla., tag; Lewis Garth, the race-horse man from Charlottesville, who came here on a New York tag; E. F. Riddan, 163; B. Volght, 646; Roy A. Fox, Pennsylvania tag No. 7222; James Fletcher, ---.

Each of these put up \$10, with the exception of Wingston, who was let down with \$5.

## PIKE'S DAUGHTER TALKS TO MASONS

**Woman Sets Precedent in History of Order in the District.**

**FATHER REAL FOUNDER**

**"I Feel as if I am Almost a Mason," Says Mrs. William Oscar Roome, in Address.**

For the first time in the history of Masonry in the District a woman last night addressed 200 Masons of the highest rank in Scottish Rite Freemasonry, at the annual banquet of the Royal Order of Scotland held at Rauscher's.

Of respect for the memory of her father, Albert Pike, the real founder of Scottish Rite Masonry in this country, Mrs. William Oscar Roome, was asked to speak of her father and his work.

It was deemed fitting that a daughter of the greatest Mason this country has ever known should tell of his life's work. The Royal Order of Scotland was the first Masonic organization to open its doors to women on social occasions.

When James D. Richardson, a sovereign grand commander of the Southern Jurisdiction of the Scottish Rite Order and provincial grand master of the Royal Order of Scotland, every man present stood up and applauded her.

**Statue for Founder.**  
"Knowing as I do," said Mrs. Roome, "of the years of work spent by my father in resurrecting Scottish Rite Masonry and being familiar with his ambitions, I feel that I am almost a Mason. I consented to speak only because there is a suggestion I would like to offer to the Supreme Council for its consideration. I have been told that there is a plan on foot to erect a statue to the memory of my father in front of the new Scottish Rite Cathedral. In Mr. Richardson's order has found a worthy successor to my father, and I would like to suggest that a statue of him be placed in the West. I am not a suffragist, nor an admirer of Mrs. Pankhurst, and hope you will not think me presumptuous in making this suggestion. I do hope that the Supreme Council will see fit to consider it."

## WINTER SLIPS IN WITH COLD WIND

**Residents of Washington Get Overcast and Furs Out of Storage.**

**SNOW IN LAKE REGION**

**Serious Damage Done on River and Bay—Continued Low Temperature Promised for Today.**

"Ugh! Guess I'll get my overcoat," exclaimed a general feeling among Washingtonians yesterday when they realized that winter had come. On the wings of high west and northwest winds the season of heavier rainfall slipped into the District during the late hours of Monday and the early hours of yesterday.

Snow is falling throughout the lake region and the Ohio Valley, but the local weather man assures Washingtonians that there is no need to get the "runners" of sleighs or snow plows ready yet.

While those in the streets of the city realized that the winds that swept the thoroughfares early yesterday morning were cold and piercing, they did not dream that the gusts were the edges of a storm that was doing serious harm at points along the Lower Potomac River and Chesapeake Bay.

Continued cold is promised by the weather man, with clear skies for today and a somewhat and slightly warmer tomorrow. The storm which brought the cold weather moved rapidly across the New England States and down the St. Lawrence Valley and last night was over the Gulf of St. Lawrence, where it menaces shipping.

**Snow in Pittsburgh.**  
Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 21.—Snow fell here this morning for the first time this season. The fall lasted for half an hour.

## UNCLE SAM PUTS EUGENICS O. K. ON BRIDEGROOM

**Youth About to Wed Examined by Public Health Department Physicians.**

**TEST IS THOROUGH ONE**

**Homer B. Terrill Says Young Woman He Is to Marry Will Undergo Similar Inspection.**

The routine business of the Department of Public Health was suspended yesterday while the learned physicians gathered in conference to make a physical examination of the first prospective bridegroom to apply to the Federal authorities for a certificate of fitness for marriage.

The applicant stated that he was Homer B. Terrill, twenty-two years old, a native of Chicago, now employed in the Supervising Architect's office of the Treasury Department. His bride-to-be, he said, was an Iowa girl, who is as interested as he in eugenics and who is undergoing a similar examination.

Young Terrill was received with open arms by Drs. Blue and Rucker, who head the Public Health Department. They called into conference Drs. Stimson and Kearney, also government experts, and the four physicians, organizing a Federal board of inquiry, went into immediate action, regardless of other government business.

**Examination is Rigid.**  
Terrill was taken to the laboratory, stripped, and put through the tests. He was weighed, measured, thumped on the chest, stethoscoped, and put through violent physical exercises for heart defects.

At the close of the session the government physicians went into executive session. To the interns of the Government Hospital, who crowded around to question the bridegroom-to-be, Terrill explained that he had been engaged for some months and that he and his future wife had pledged themselves to seek physicians' certificates of health in the interests of eugenics before going to the altar.

"Not that I think there is anything the matter with me," he explained, "but we both feel that we shall be far happier if we know exactly our physical condition and possibilities when we enter upon our matrimonial contract."

The surgeons gave their unanimous opinion that Terrill was "not only wise in his course, but in a top-notch way." "It is my opinion that the day is not far removed when all couples contemplating matrimony will be required by law to undergo examination at the hands of health authorities. As a means of protecting the race is obvious," the proper thing to do.

The Public Health Service, so far as its facilities permit, will examine persons about to marry who desire to be examined.

## MEXICAN POLICY FAILS TO OBTAIN ENGLAND'S HELP

**Reported Page-Grey Interview Declared Unsatisfactory to U. S.**

**BRITISH POSITION CLEAR**

**Foreign Government Will Not Indicate What Course Will Be Pursued Following Election.**

Further advice from London yesterday made it clear that the President and Secretary Bryan can hope for no support, moral or otherwise, from Great Britain in their present Mexican policy. The present indications, judging from developments of the last week, are that the United States soon will be more than ever isolated in her attitude toward troubled Mexico.

A more detailed account of the interview between Ambassador Page and Sir Edward Grey, British Minister of Foreign Affairs, reached Washington yesterday. This interview demonstrated, according to information received here, that the only point regarding Mexico upon which the British government and the United States are in entire agreement is the desire that peace shall return to Mexico—a question upon which they could not well disagree. On the immediate question of policy with respect to Mexico the two governments take opposite positions.

Sir Edward told Mr. Page that his nation's government considers the course of recognition of the Huerta government was the only proper course for it to take, in view of its desire for the restoration of peace in Mexico. He declined to bind the British government as any policy to be followed after the forthcoming elections, declaring that Great Britain would take no position in advance of that event.

**Sir Lionel Indorsed.**  
He insisted further that all the acts of Sir Lionel Curzon, British Minister to Mexico, were quite in accord with his instructions and that the British government stood behind all that Sir Lionel had done. It was added, however, that no affront to the United States was intended in anything that Sir Lionel had done in Mexico City.

News of the negative results of Ambassador Page's attempt to sound out the British government and to gain support abroad, if possible, for the Wilson policy in Mexico, was received in well-informed circles here as of a most significant character. The prediction was made that from now on Great Britain will be left more and more to its own devices in Mexico, and that the matter of their policy toward that country, the interests of France, Germany, Spain, and other countries are almost identical with those of Great Britain, so far as the Mexican problem is concerned. It is now believed that these other powers will take their cue from Great Britain, and that the United States will be left more and more to its own devices in Mexico. The extreme vigor and aggressiveness of Sir Lionel Curzon will make him the natural head of the diplomatic corps in Mexico City, it is declared, with the result that he will dominate the situation, to the extent that the American Embassy, which is now without a head, will be relegated to second place.

Mr. Bryan had a long conference with President Wilson yesterday, but contributed nothing whatsoever to the public knowledge of the Mexican situation. He

**CHILDREN DISCOVER EVIDENCE OF MURDER**  
Two Tots Find Young Woman Killed in House of Pennsylvania Farmer.  
Cumberland, Md., Oct. 21.—May Turner, an eighteen-year-old girl, employed in the home of Howard Corley, near Buena Vista, Bedford County, Pa., was found lying in a room there Sunday afternoon, dying from a gunshot wound. The girl was found by two small children and details of what appeared to have been a cold-blooded murder reached here today. The tip of the girl's head had been blown off by a discharge from a shotgun, a hole in a window pane showing that the shot had been fired from the outside.

The murder seems to have been committed about 4 o'clock and the girl lived for some time afterward. Mrs. Turner was a daughter of Emanuel Turner, who operates the Topper Grist Mill at New Buena Vista.

## ATTEMPTED REVOLT PUT DOWN IN SPAIN

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Special Cable to The Washington Herald.  
Lisbon, Oct. 21.—An attempted royalist rising was frustrated today. The police had been informed in advance of the plans of the plotters.

Many of the plotters were arrested after sharp conflicts with the police at the appointed places of concentration. Among those arrested were three army officers and eight sergeants. Tonight armed groups with orders to shoot suspected rebels are posted at the gates of the city.

At an early hour today groups of armed men began gathering at different points in the city, especially concentrating in the vicinity of the barracks and prisons. In the meantime bands of insurgents on the frontier awaited news of the rising here and in Oporto. The frontier expedition was supposed to be led by the notorious Capt. Coutinho, who left France last week with the intention of entering Portugal immediately after the revolution broke out in these two cities.

Several of those under arrest have confessed that part of the plot contemplated the liberation of the political prisoners confined in the capital. One group of armed men tried to storm the military school for the purpose of seizing the stores of arms and ammunition there. Two railroad bridges between Lisbon and Oporto were blown up.

**Attended Grand Frederic, Md. Fair**  
Baltimore, Md., Oct. 22.—To 24,000 visitors for the day of the fair, Oct. 22, tickets good for day of issue only, \$1.75 round trip—Adv.

## CONGRESS IN BRIEF.

**Senate.**

Took up consideration of the seamen's bill.  
Discussion of the program by Senators Kern, Ashurst, Borah, and Cummins indicated that the Senate will not adjourn until after the currency bill is disposed of. Senator Bankhead withdrew certificate of appointment of Representative Henry D. Clayton as Senator from Alabama.

Passed joint resolution appropriating \$400,000 for purchase of fifty new offices in the House office building.  
Victor Morawetz and Alexander Gilbert, both of New York, appeared before Currency Committee.

Nominations of J. E. Pinking as Governor of Hawaii and Arthur Yager, of Kentucky, to be Governor of Porto Rico were acted upon favorably by the Pacific Islands and Porto Rico Committee.

**House.**  
Met at noon.  
Representatives Underwood and Mann failed to agree for proposed thirty-day recess, suggested by President Wilson, although there is no business to transact.

Representative Neustadt of Colorado introduced resolution for investigation of coal mining companies in its state.  
Representative Kindred of New Jersey introduced resolution for location of government armor manufacturing plant at Jersey City.

Adjourned until noon today.

## FIRST VIOLENCE DUE TO "RITUAL MURDER"

**Mob Attacks Jews, Claiming Girl Was Slain to Fulfill Religious Law.**

Warsaw, Russian Poland, Oct. 21.—A mob attacked the Jewish quarter of the village of Sasnowitz today, charging that a girl had been slain for "ritual purposes." The rioters were driven off, and it was later ascertained that the girl's injuries had been self-inflicted.

Crying for the blood of the Ghetto residents, the mob made a murderous attack, and a number of persons were injured. Houses were stoned and pedestrians in the streets clubbed.  
"This was the first outbreak of anti-Jewish violence resulting from the Kieff trial."

## Kinkaid Wants Armor Plant.

Representative Kinkaid of New Jersey introduced a resolution in the House yesterday directing the Secretary of the Navy to acquire a site for a government armor plant at Jersey City at a cost of \$75,000.

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